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# FORTY-EIGHT HOURS MORE PROBABLY WILL SEE HUN OFFENSIVE AT STANDSTILL

General Foch, Allied Supreme Commander, Has the Situation Well in Hand, Today's Dispatches From the Battle Front Indicate; Reserves Coming Into Action.

## AMERICANS PLAY BIG PART IN THE GAME

By Associated Press.

**AMERICANS DRIVE MILE THROUGH.**  
WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, May 29.—The Americans have penetrated the German positions to a depth of nearly a mile near Caintigny. Their artillery completely smothered the Germans. The roar of the American guns could be heard for many miles in the rear. Several fires are burning behind the German lines. Twelve French tanks supported the American infantry.

### HEAVY LOSSES INFILCTED.

**LONDON.** May 29.—German troops who counter attacked last night against the Americans who captured Caintigny, west of Montdidier, were repulsed with heavy losses, reports Reuter's correspondent of the British army headquarters in France.

### AMERICANS REPULSE TWO ATTACKS.

**PARIS.** May 29.—The French troops have fallen back to the eastern outskirts of Soissons where the battle continues with bitterness, the French war office announces this afternoon.

Franco-British troops, the statement adds, have fallen back to the heights south and southeast of St. Thierry where they are holding positions between the Vesle and the Aisne canal.

American troops to the west of Montdidier, the French statement says, have repulsed two German counter attacks against the village of Campigny.

In the center, continues the war office announcement, fighting is going on with varying success on the heights on the southern bank of the Vesle river where the French troops are bravely and admirably defending their positions.

**PARIS.** May 29.—General Foch now has the situation well in hand and French troops are beginning to gain on the German forces in a contest of speed. No important line of communication is yet threatened by the advance of the German von prince.

Those on the scene declare it is not too much to say that other 48 hours will see the German drive definitely stopped.

High praise is given the French reserves for the perfect order which they are coming into the fighting line.

It was the first important action carried out alone by the Americans. All reports agree that they behaved like veterans. It is pronounced the best augury for the early future when American help will weigh heavily in the balance.

### ENEMY MAKES SLIGHT PROGRESS.

**WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE.** May 29.—The German offensive made only slight progress today. Seeing the heavy masses opposed to them the Allies gave way in the center in some places the enemy crossed both the Aisne and the Vesle.

### AMERICANS HAVE HUNS ON RUN.

**WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE.** May 29.—Many of the American soldiers who took part in the successful attack against the German lines west of Montdidier today also participated in the repulse of the German raids against the American lines Monday.

One participant in Monday's affair is said to have been killed today in a shell hole in No Man's Land with two wounded men as his prisoners. He was unable to get back to the American lines Monday night so he stood guard over them until attack this morning liberated him and secured the prisoners.

Lieutenant Irving W. Wood of Oakland, Cal., said he did not note an American fall during today's attack.

"It was more exciting than a football game," he added. "We have got the Huns on the run. All we need is more Americans and then we shall tick them."

### U. S. TROOPS BEHAVE SPLENDIDLY.

**WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE.** May 29.—The American line now runs 150 to 200 yards east of Caintigny as a result of the successful attack today. The newest German attack is within several hundred yards of where the Americans dug in. The Germans, it has been found, had many outposts and machine gun emplacements in Caintigny.

America's first offensive blow was struck in a mist. The French tanks apparently did not have much to do as the American artillery had prepared the way. A bright sun came out, and the Americans dug in. The Germans, it has been found, had many outposts and machine gun emplacements in Caintigny.

The Americans fought as though they were veterans and there was no hesitation when the officers swung forward and cried: "Come on, boys." Several officers, describing the men, agreed that the outstanding feature in their minds was wonderful morale of the men and their absolute confidence in themselves. The Germans poured machine gun bullets all day and the Americans as they were digging in, but no attention paid to them as jokes were handed back and forth.

The demeanor of the men wounded in action was found particularly cheerful when the correspondent visited the field hospital this afternoon. He saw stretched out on their cots a number of these Americans, for the most part only slightly wounded, acted like school boys returned from a great day of sports.

### HS FROM DISEASE.

**EQUAL THRO' IN BATTLE.** May 29.—The army list today contained 30 names of those killed in action, 11 as follows: Killed in action, five; died of wounds, five; died of disease, 10; one, one; died of disease, 10; one, one; wounded, seven; missing in two.

### LONG RANGE GUNS.

**BOMBARDING PARIS.** May 29.—The long range

bombardment of Paris began again early this morning. Examination of the shells discharged by the Germans in the long range bombardment of Paris which began again Monday indicates that new guns are being used. Larger shells are being employed than formerly, the calibre of the guns being 24 centimeter (9 1/2 inches) instead of 21.

**ENEMY FIRE EAST.** May 29.—The German ar-

## SHOW UNIONTOWN HOW WE RAISED GREAT FUND HERE

Five Hundred Enthusiasts Go By Automobile to the County seat.

## RAISE \$1,500 IN CASH

One of Greatest Demonstrations by an Out of Town Delegation in the History of the County Capital is Staged by Local Red Cross Workers

Connellsville showed Uniontown how to do it last night, when a delegation of canvassers and others, 500 strong, went from this city to the county seat, paraded the streets of that place and collected between \$1,000 and \$1,500 for the Fayette County chapter of the Red Cross during the evening. The trip, at the invitation of Rev. Cloyd Goodnight, director of the Bureau of Development of the county chapter, was made in automobiles, street cars and trains.

On arrival in Uniontown the delegation paraded over the streets, headed by the Connellsville Military band, which was at its best. The parade disbanded at the court house, and the many novelties used to keep up enthusiasm in Connellsville during the past week were put into operation.

Old Kaiser Bill again felt the noose around his neck, and Uniontown patriots were given the pleasure of contributing to hang him higher.

Plates were carried in the parade into which coins were generously tossed. All the money collected last night goes 100 per cent into the coffers of the county chapter.

The biggest feature of the parade was the float representing the "greatest mother in all the world," which attracted much attention here on Monday night. Mrs. J. J. Dougherty was the principal figure on the spotless white float, being surrounded by singers attired in white.

Gaster's Military band was one of the big enthusiasm-raisers of the parade. Thirty strong it led the Connellsville boosters, attracting unusual attention along the line of march with its repertoire of popular patriotic numbers rendered with a spirit that stirred even the most sedate and conservative Uniontowners to a realization that a real red-blooded aggregation was in town. Almost without intermission from start to finish of the demonstration the band kept up its program of selections, adding greatly to the enthusiasm of the occasion. Its services were given without charge as a patriotic contribution to the cause.

By way of contrast it may be noted that the Uniontown band was invited to participate in the Connellsville parade on Monday evening. The offer was made to pay their street car fare and provide them with supper, which was accepted but at the last moment they demanded a purse of \$120.00 "on the side." Inasmuch as every other organization was turning out without expectation of remuneration, the committee in charge declined to make an exception in favor of the Uniontown band, and it remained at home.

Uniontown people were taken somewhat unawares, they say, by the descent of the Connellsville aggregation their coming not being sufficiently known beforehand to prepare a proper reception for them. The fact that Rev. Cloyd Goodnight, during his address here on Monday evening had invited all Connellsville to come to the County Capital last night seems not to have been made generally known, hence the apparent failure of Uniontown to prepare for the invitation.

Judge Reppert, attracted by the noise on the streets, is said to have left his office last evening without knowing what was the occasion of the tumult. Diving into some of the "Midway" features he ruthlessly put a stop to them until he learned the reason for their presence and the identity of those in charge. He then promptly got busy to help the Connellsville boosters arouse the town.

**DAWSON CHILD SPEEDY**

Is Placed There Today by Committee of Foreign Service Veterans.

The grave of Zachariah Connell, founder of Connellsville, whose figure has been seen in parades recently, was included today in those marked with American flags.

On their rounds of the cemeteries a committee composed of T. R. Cunningham, H. L. Bishop and John M. Martin, foreign service veterans, thought of the Connell grave near the E. T. Norton homestead. It gave evidence of having had little attention, and they put it in presentable condition.

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## NEWSY NOTES TELL WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE HILL TOWN

Honor Students for Class of 1918 High School Announced.

### NETI WIENS TAKES FIRST PLACE

Neti Love is Second, While Six Others Make Averages of Above 90 Per Cent; Class Play Presented Afternoon and Evening at the Theatre.

Special to The Courier.  
SCOTTDALE, May 29.—Honor students of the class of 1918 of the Scottdale high school were announced yesterday preceding the presentation of the class play, "Claim Allowed," in the Scottdale theatre.

First honor was won by Miss Neta Mens, second by Miss Nola Love. Students with an average above 90 per cent were Marguerite Walters, Eldred Stoner, Emanuel Morris, Arthur Stange, Wesley Leichliter and effie Wooley.

The play was presented to a good house both afternoon and evening. The following is the cast of characters: "Mr. Lafoloff, manufacturer of munitions," Leon Morris; "Mrs. Lafoloff, his wife," Edith Myers; "Dabney," Mabel Bryan; "Saerman Metz, his grandson," John Kromer; "Mary Metz, his granddaughter," Gladys Pyle; "Mrs. Hohenzollern, a propagandist," Isabel Markle; "Heine Hohenzollern, her brother," Ralph Micht; "Mrs. Thompson, of the Red Cross," Mildred Stoner; "Boy Scout, doing his bit," Charles Duerckhoff; "Web, a blackbird," Wesley Leichliter; stage manager, Marie Waagman; assistant, Catherine Hess.

The curtain numbers were: Music, Miss Ziron's orchestra; class prophecy, Elizabeth Eicher; violin solo, John Merritt; instrumental trio, John Merritt, Joseph Knowles and Katherine MacBurney; vocal solo, Mabel Ziron; quartet, Mabel Ziron, Mabel Bryan, Evelyn Cramer and Isabel Markle; violin duet, Robert Snail and John Kromer.

During the afternoon Evelyn Cramer and Clyde Parker, the donors, had a part on the program.

Consecration proper will be held in the Scottdale theatre this evening.

William J. Murphy.

William J. Murphy, aged 63 years, a cousin of J. L. Murphy, Miss Catherine Murphy and Mrs. Ada Luce of this place, died Monday morning in the Mercy hospital, Pittsburgh. Mr. Murphy was a former resident of this place, having been in the dry goods business. The body was taken to Fayette City where funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will follow in the Mt. Auburn cemetery. He is survived by his wife and one son, Gilbert; and one daughter, Pauline.

See Soldier Off.

Mrs. Ed Lane and daughter Clara and son Edward, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scouller of Connellsville, and Miss Elizabeth Malor were at McKeever's Rocks yesterday morning to see William Lane, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lane of Evanson, leave for Camp Humphreys at Washington, D. C. Personal.

Mrs. Paul Fair and daughter, Betty Jane, of Latrobe, are visiting Scottsdale and Alverton friends.

Mrs. Harry Newingham and daughter Corinne are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Herzog of Fourth avenue. They came to see Bradley Hanes leaving for camp in Ohio.

Mrs. Garfield Miller and niece, Hazel, of Iron Bridge, accompanied the latter's sister, Mrs. Sylvester Tozer, to her home in East Palestine, Ohio.

### Chiopyle.

CHIOPYLE, May 29.—Mrs. Joseph Chuck of Uniontown, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Mitchell this week.

Mrs. Mary Cunningham and two daughters left yesterday for Fayette City to attend the wedding of the former's daughter, Miss Verna Cunningham to Fred Distric, to be solemnized Thursday in the Presbyterian church.

Miss Ethel Stuck, who has been visiting at Mt. Pleasant, has returned to her home here.

Mrs. Wallace Chuck of Uniontown, arrived here Tuesday to spend a few days with relatives.

B. A. Shaw, Jesse Hall, John Hillis and William Hyatt left here yesterday to report in Connellsville to leave with the drafters for camp Wednesday.

Mr. Abit of Pittsburgh, is spending several days here.

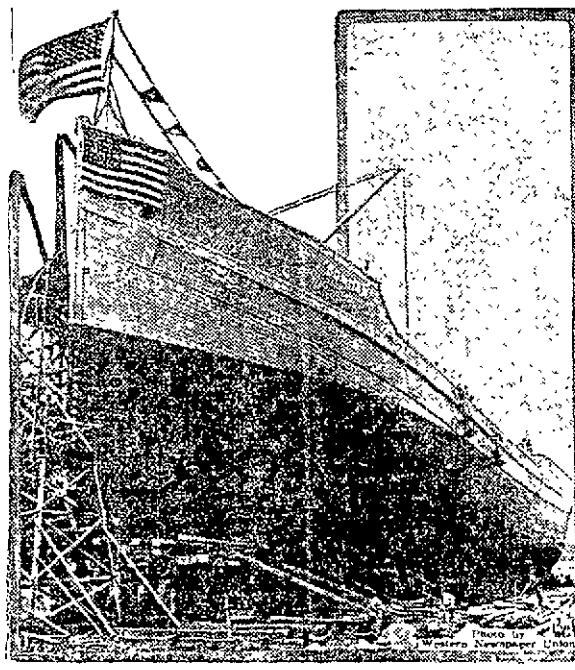
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We desire to thank our many friends who so kindly assisted us in our late bereavement, the death of our beloved mother, Mrs. Mary Margaret Shaffer. We desire to extend especially our heartfelt thanks to Miss Mary McConnell for her service in singing, and to those who sent flowers. M. H. Shaffer, M. B. Shaffer, C. W. Shaffer—Ady.

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—Dr. King.

For side as A. C. Clarke

### SCRAPS OF HUMOR

Mr. Hoffner, who comes here as superintendent, for more than six years has enjoyed a wide acquaintance among lieutenants and Chautauqua people. The series of morning hour talks to be given by Mr. Spence are war interpretations based on recent action. His popular afternoon lecture is "The Culture of the Commonplace." Miss Horton comes from far away Long Beach, Cal. Her summer have been spent in story telling at the public libraries in Long Beach.

### PARTY AT BANNING

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Forsythe entertain for Son Going to Camp.

A very enjoyable party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Forsythe at Banning in honor of their son Martin, who left Sunday for Camp Lee. Various games were the amusements and a very delightful time was had. At a late hour refreshments were served. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Sechrist, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hough, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ervin, Mr. and Mrs. Marti Hough, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Golden, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rollings, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marker, Mrs. W. J. Warley, Mr. A. H. Hickner, Mrs. Florence Lewis, Mrs. Dessa Robertson, Mrs. David Forsythe, Mrs. John Shaup, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Forsythe, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Stiffey, Violet Mardon, Alice Fisher, Elizabeth Merritt, Sadie Hough, Ruth Forsythe, Isabelle Scherist, Laura Scherist, Basic Hood, Rebecca Lynch, Florence Maxon, Susanna Hailey, Bertha Forsythe, Mary Agnes Haley, Ada Wilcox, Naomi Shupe, Goldie Hixson, Mildred Hixson, Gladys Hixson, Ada Melville, Irene Cutler, Carrie Scherist, Edna Hammons, Sarah Shupe, Ethel Shupe, Olive Willer, Edna Lian, Ethel, Fisher, Olive Hamilton, Marie Forsythe, Emma Brewer, Emma Fisher, Ida Forsythe, Mary Ebbert, Andra and Edith Golden, Lilly Biele Hough, Edna Grace Robertson, Grace Hough, Fred Edwards, Jr., Johnnie Stummell, Albert Merritt, Ronald Hagerman, Elmer Forsythe, Roy Stummell, P. M. Poprick, C. J. Newcomer, Clarence Smith, Anson Coughanour, Samuel Wilknot, Samuel Forsythe, Carrie Scherist, Jennings and Umbie Forsythe, Nick Hale, Melford Maxon, Herschel Hood, Charles Rock, Edgar Lee, Dewey Shifler, Strawn Ervin, Ray and Ollie Forsythe, George Fashig, Robert Layton, Charles Morgan, Oliver Rong, Ade Shupe, Louis Trennen, Parker Larson, Lancaster, Maren Bruehaker, Maxell Meyer, Harry Scherist, Frank Forsythe, Arthur Forsythe, Martin Forsythe.

### Vanderbilt.

VANDERBILT, May 29.—Joseph Newmyer and son John and Miss Jeanne May of Ashland, O., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Newmyer.

Mrs. Clark Shaw, Mrs. Blanche Thompson, Dr. and Mrs. J. Y. Woods and Mrs. L. L. Collins on Tuesday evening.

M. and Mrs. Harry Harper and daughter and Mrs. Elizabeth Wright of Monaca, visited friends here and in Dawson yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Henderson and daughter Mary and son Hugh and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Knight visited Mr. and Mrs. Adam Nicholson of Franklin township on Sunday.

James Rohm, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Rohm, is ill of pneumonia. A. L. Love and Paul H. Collins were recent business callers in Pittsburgh.

Clyde Newmyer, who attends college at Mount Vernon, O., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Newmyer.

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## ONE LAST DESPERATE CHANCE.

As the German offensive movements on the western front, in scope in intensity and extent, in the interest of Americans in the progress of the battle will grow. It is known that American troops have been distributed over many sectors of the front. Brigaded with both the French and British and acting as independent units they have already taken conspicuous part in beating back the Hun. The engagements that will ensue will consist of the stiffest kind of fighting and the casualties will accordingly be heavy.

Fronting the Aisne sector between Rheims and Soissons, the German troops are under the command of the Crown Prince who last year vainly hurled his army against the French over practically the same ground. This war-mad incubus who also suffered a severe drubbing at Verdun in 1916 will hesitate at no loss of life in an attempt to gain at least the semblance of a victory. He has achieved the success of forcing a crossing of the Aisne and naturally will strive to follow up the advantage to the utmost. The Alsatian part of which is now held by British troops is reported to have fallen back. This movement as upon the occasion of previous German drives may be for the purpose of inviting the Allies to expend their energy on the initial push or it may be because the weight of the attack is too great to be successfully sustained by the forces of this sector. In either case the strategy of the Allies will very probably be to husband their forces and maintain their reserves unimpaired meantime inflicting the heaviest possible punishment upon the enemy and gradually wearing out his strength. Then when the American reinforcements have arrived at its full power strike a quiet, hard driven and over-helming counter offensive.

Coincident with the southern drive another is being directed against the French south of Ypres in Flanders. Here too American troops may possibly be engaged as their presence in that quarter was reported some time ago. The usual German tactics of attempting to force a wedge through the enemy's line by weight of numbers driven forward in a succession of attacks has been met so stubbornly that practically no gain has been made. Whether these movements are designed as a drive toward Paris in the south and Calais in the north, or to create a still heavier drive at an intermediate point has not developed. One thing is certain however and that is that the Germans have determined to make a final effort to gain some or all of their objectives before America has increased her force of fighting men in France to such an extent that it will become a menace to what the Germans now consider a possible victory.

This situation will give to the present German offensive an intensity and determination born of despair resulting as the war lords do that it is now or never for them. The Allied forces are much better able to meet a drive or series of them than they were when the first offensive began on March 21. There has been a realization under the supreme command of General Foch that by vastly increased the efficiency of the Allies as a defensive force. The addition of large bodies of American troops to both the fighting and reserve armies has infused all the "heat" with a new spirit. Each drive on the first of offense will be followed by a drive on the strength of all forces. Hence in ultimate German defeat may as American preparations approach their maximum.

On the present drive the Germans will do no more than sustain a garrison but they will simply be dashingly themselves against an obstinate wall which they can not break through. They may stretch or bend it but it will not break. The cause for which German fights is already lost, even should her

## AMERICAN GENERAL CONGRATULATES MEN ON A BRAVE AND SUCCESSFUL TRENCH RAID.



The daring of the American fighters in this line has been rewarded and commended in various ways. Some of the men have been decorated with the French War Cross. Yet a higher delight is having his commanding officer personally congratulate him for exceptional valor. Gen. Al Edwards, shown in this picture, realizes that his men want his thanks. So when a raiding party composed of his men carried out a successful raid on enemy trenches he gathered the men around and shook the hand of each.

## Let Us Remember

By Henry D. H. Sedgwick

arrives upon one or more of the present objectives. Even if attained they would simply add to the list of German's empty victories. The history of the war would be delayed not decided. There is but one end that is complete victory for the Allies. If it does not come now it will come when the American army in France has reached its proper strength. Germany fears the arrival of that as she has learned nothing else during the war since her military leaders whose all at stake are taking one last desperate chance at winning.

American is so determined a quick action, doubt it will be long, at the Huns on the way to success as to capture a town and the Huns will be forced to withdraw. Little wonder in general, however, that the German counter attack may fail, as the Hun has been driven off the eastern side of the Yankee Over There.

Connellsville musicians just like other citizens don't have to be paid to patriotic.

Having taken a place in the \$100,000 class on the Third of May bond campaign, it is now time that a Connellsville citizen be paid and have a \$1000 job.

That \$1000 is like the Irishman who said when he didn't have it.

We are glad to let the patriotic country a portion of the \$1000,000 bond campaign from the H. C. Price coke company, even if the H. C. Price did not get a portion of the \$1000,000 bond. It is all in the same cause and that was what Connellsville was working for.

Announcements of the \$100,000 bond campaign in the public interest are not the best of news.

Chief Marshal of the 17th Corps of the French army, General Joffre, has been promoted to the rank of General of the Armies. He is the highest rank in the French army.

I am now now known how it was done.

Cruelty is Not the Way.

It is a natural instinct to do good to others.

To the Editor of The Courier: Sir — I am a speaker at today's dinner meeting, but a Jew was treated to a coat of tar to fit him into the role of the war criminal as the text of the speech was not the best of words.

It is not the best of words, but it was the best of words.

May they stell our hearts to bear.

— I am now now known how it was done.

— Cruelty is Not the Way.

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**NEWS OF THE DAY**  
AT MT. PLEASANT  
BRIEFLY RELATED

East Huntingdon Township  
Commemoration Held in  
Local Theatre.

**EXCELLENT PROGRAM RENDERED**

Twenty Young Men and Women of  
the Class of 1918 Receive Diplomas;  
Curtis Ong Falls Victim of Typhoid  
Fever, After Short Illness; Notes.

**Special to The Courier**  
MOUNT PLEASANT, May 29.—The  
commencement exercises of the East  
Huntingdon township high school was  
held in the Grand opera house last  
evening. On the Class roll were:  
Clifford Long, Clarence A. Poole,  
William McC. Rose, Harry V. Taylor,  
John P. Balcerak, Duane E. Null,  
Frank N. Stoner, Donald Marthaus,  
Howard Lowsteiner, Arvin D. Slagle,  
Birdie W. Cowan, Ardella J. Gossard,  
Fera V. Rose, Ruth May Love,  
Louise May Stillman, Verna M. Nixon,  
Laura L. Shannon, Mary Leighty,  
Jessie M. Tedrow and Maude Marie  
Stiecie. The program follows:

Invocation by Rev. W. H. Lobb; music, high school chorus; class history, Ruth Love; essay, "Preparing Our Boys and Girls for the Future"; Jessie Tedrow; declamation, "The Right Must Conquer"; Duane Null; essay, "A Mount of Vision in the Valley of Need"; Laura Shannon; high school chorus; class poet, Arvin Slaughter; essay, "Women in War"; Mary Leighty; oration, "Test of Democracy"; Frank Stoner; class prophecy; Maude Stiecie; presentation of diplomas and son, "The Star Spangled Banner."

Moonylight Ball.

You are cordially invited to attend a moonlight ball given by the Social Three in Moose hall, Scottdale, Pa., Friday evening, May 31, 1918. Riferle. —Adv.—29-2t.

Curtis Ong.

Curtis Ong, 28 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Ong of Vine street, died at his home there on Monday night from typhoid fever. Besides his parents there are four sisters, Mrs. William Newman, Mrs. William P. Shipman, Misses Gertrude and Madge and two brothers, Charles and Harry. Funeral services will be held at the home at 1:30 o'clock on Friday. Interment will follow in the Mount Pleasant cemetery.

Keep the Ladies Cool.

Cool garments for hot weather. Hundreds of new dresses, waists and skirts for June wear. Package after package arriving daily, bringing the beauty styles of summer. Everything in ready-to-wear apparel for all ages and sizes, from baby to grandmother; indeed, the most wonderful selection ever assembled in this vicinity. We invite you to see these and inspect what Dame Fashion has decreed for summer wear.

All millinery 1-2 off. Special summer hats, white and leghorns, georgettes and crepes, special at \$4.49. Crepe de chine and georgette combinations, \$9.98 and up. White, pretty summer blouses to or mandie, white, crepe de chine, madras, georgette, etc., 89¢ and up.

Wonderful values in skirts at price reductions below cost of materials, silk, satin, wool poplins; tub skirts of shardine, etc., \$1.19 and up.

First sale on newest spring and summer coats, made up beautifully in silk, jersey, poplins, serges and both, all colors and sizes, \$9.95 and up.

Every day a bargain day this week, look in and save something. Broadway Ladies' Store. As you get off the train, Scottdale, Pa.—Adv.

Personal.

Homer McCracken of Sharon is the test of Raymond Binghamman.

Mrs. Roy Wilson of Wilkinsburg is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Brown.

Classified Advertisements  
bring results. Cost only 1c a word.

**When Itching Stops**

There is one safe dependable treatment for relieves itching torture and skin irritation almost instantly and that cures skin disease. The skin is the skin. Acts any drugstore for a \$3.00 or \$1.00 bottle. Zeno and apply it as directed. Soon you will find that irritations, pimples, warts, eczema, blisters, ringworm and similar skin troubles will disappear. A little zeno, the penetrating salicylic liquid, is all that is needed, for it cures most skin eruptions and makes skin soft, smooth and healthy.

The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

**AMERICAN RED CROSS FEEDS THE SALONIKA REFUGEES**



This remarkable photograph shows wonderfully the work of the Red Cross for the stricken people of Europe. The American Red Cross workers at this station are feeding the Saloniki refugees, who are sheltered in the tents that dot the plain. This is the way the Red Cross expends much of the money it receives.

**Dawson.**

DAWSON, May 29.—Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Forsythe of Pittsburgh spent over Sunday here with friends and relatives.

Mrs. John Short spent Monday with friends in Pittsburgh. Burgess L. S. Moltinger was a business caller on Monday. J. B. Yohe, of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie came up from Pittsburgh to attend the Brotherhood service flag dedication at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday. He made an address to the boys. W. A. Wood and John Lucky were recent visitors to Butler county.

J. C. McGill visited his brother, Frank, at Duquesne Monday.

William Ramsey was a Pittsburgh business caller Monday.

Charles Harper of East Liberty took in the parade in Connellsville Monday evening.

Word has been received here of the birth of a 12 pound baby boy to Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hodson of Monessen. Mrs. Hodson was formerly Winona McGill of Dawson, daughter of Mr. Mrs. Harry McGill.

Mrs. Ray Morrison and children of Connellsville were recent guests of Mrs. Morrison's sister, Mrs. Anna Sherbondy.

Mrs. Charles Hensel and son have returned to their home in Uniontown after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mong.

A number of town folks were in Connellsville this morning to see the local boys off to camp.

A. S. Cottam was in town yesterday.

David Wilson of Pittsburgh was a business caller at Dickerson Run on Monday.

**Dickerson Run.**

DICKERSON RUN, May 28.—All stores at Dickerson Run are complying with President Wilson's request that they remain closed all day Memorial Day.

Mrs. Harry Vaughn and son, Edward D. of Dunbar, and Mrs. Daniel Whippley of Liberty, were visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Cumberland of Dunbar township.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Newell and Mrs. Richard Sidow and Miss Rosie Mazzeo were calling on friends at Connellsville yesterday.

The friends of Ralph Hixon gave him a farewell party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Hixon Monday evening. Ralph is the only drafter who leaves with the boys of District No. 2 on the 29th.

Miss Ida Hawkins of Mill Run, spent Tuesday visiting Pennsville friends.

Mrs. Alex Rocknot of Stauffer, visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. H. Stauffer, Tuesday.

Mrs. L. L. Richey is spending a few days this week visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Sanner, Indian Head.

Classified ads cost only 1c a word. The amount collected in the Red Cross drive from Pennsville was \$113.75, which went to swell the total of Bultskin township's quota.

Useless Extravagance.

The charitable lady was treating a pensioner to a set of false teeth. The pensioner picked out the cheapest set offered.

"Don't you think it would be well to select better teeth while you are about it?" the lady asked. "I am perfectly willing to pay a little more and get good ones."

"Oh, ma'am," replied the pensioner. "What's the use of putting any more money into something that my husband will only knock down my throat the first time he gets real mad?"

Read the advertisements.

**TWO-PIECE FROCK THAT HAS VERY SLENDER LINES.**



**Confluence.**

CONFLUENCE, May 29.—Everybody is asked to join the parade tomorrow. The Christian Sunday school will meet at the church at 9 A. M., then go to the Lutheran church and be joined by the Lutheran Sunday school, thence to the M. E. church and be joined by the Methodist Sunday school, thence to the West Side Baptist church and be joined by the Baptist Sunday school, thence to the Cambria bridge, where flowers will be strewn on the river in honor of the dead. D. W. McDonald of Uniontown, and other prominent speakers will deliver addresses. The annual camp fire will be held in the Christian church in the evening.

A number from here witnessed the Red Cross parade in Connellsville Monday night and spoke in glowing terms of the patriotism exhibited there.

G. E. Horschberger, Baltimore & Ohio relief agent, is here relieving the regular agent, E. E. McDonald, who will enjoy a 10 day vacation.

Harry Watson, who works in East Pittsburgh, was a recent visitor with his family for several days.

Constable Alvin Burnworth was transacting business in Connellsville yesterday.

A number from here expect to attend the Sunday school convention to be held at Murrysville next Sunday.

Ira Rank of the State Mining company, has returned from a business visit to Johnstown, Pa.

Patronize those who advertise.

Mrs. William Burnworth and daughter Louise were visitors in Connellsville yesterday evening.

If You Are Hunting Bargains

Read the advertising columns of The Daily Courier. You will find them.

**Want Help!**

Then use our classified column. Results will follow.

**BELL-ANS FOR INDIGESTION**

**6 BELL-ANS Hot water Sure Relief**

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**THE URGENT NECESSITY**

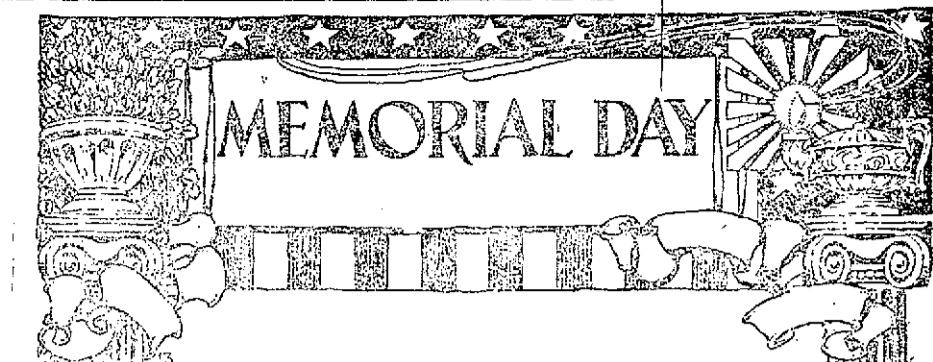
There is urgent necessity this year in the production of vegetables and fruits.

Do all you can to supply the demand. A garden in your backyard, if properly cultivated, can be made to produce enough vegetables for your entire family during the summer.

Also cultivate the practice of regular bank deposits.

Your account is invited.

This is the only Bank in this community paying 4% interest on Savings Accounts.



**For Decoration Day Shoppers**

**Varied Assortments of Brand New Goods**

"The Big Store" is ready with enormous and diversified assortments of apparel for Memorial Day activities.

Fresh New Apparel—Gone fast in style—and ion-

tured at "The Big Store's" lowest low prices too.

Here's a list of a few of the things you'll need:

<b>Suits</b>	<b>Coats</b>	<b>Dresses</b>
<b>Millinery</b>	<b>Waists</b>	<b>Silk Sweaters</b>
<b>Neckwear</b>	<b>Children's</b>	<b>Hosiery</b>
<b>Boys' White</b>	<b>Headwear</b>	<b>Gloves</b>
<b>Wash Suits</b>	<b>Girls' White</b>	<b>Silk</b>
<b>and Other</b>	<b>Dresses</b>	<b>Undershirts</b>
<b>Apparel</b>	<b>and Other</b>	<b>Babys' Wear</b>
<b>Underwear</b>	<b>Apparel</b>	

**Store Closed**

All Day Thursday, May 30th

**Decoration Day**

**KOBACKER'S**  
THE BIG STORE

ONE DAY PURCHASE

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# "OUTWITTING THE HUN"

by LIEUTENANT PAT O'BRIEN

© 1918 by PATRICK O'BRIEN



I asked the commanding officer, a major, what the reason for that was and he replied that he thought I had done enough for one day. However I knew that if I did not go someone else from another "flight" would have to take my place, and I insisted upon going up with my patrol as usual, and the major reluctantly consented. Had he known what was in store for me, I am sure he wouldn't have changed his mind so readily.

As it was we had only five machines for this patrol anyway because as we crossed the lines one of them had to drop out on account of motor trouble. Our patrol was up at 8 p.m. and up to within ten minutes of that hour it had been entirely uneventful.

At 7:50 p.m., however, while we were flying at a height of 19,000 feet, we observed three other English machines which were about 8,000 feet below us pick a fight with nine Hun machines.

I knew right then that we were in for it because we could see over toward the ocean a whole flock of Hun machines which evidently had escaped the attention of our scrappy countrymen below us.

So we dove down on those nine Hun machines.

At first the fight was fairly even. There were eight of us to nine of them. But soon the other machines which I had seen in the distance, and which were flying even higher than we were, arrived on the scene and when they, in turn, dove down on us there was just twenty of them to our eight!

Four of them singled me out. I was diving and they dived right down after me shooting as they came. Their tracer bullets were coming closer to me every moment. These tracer bullets are balls of fire which enable the shooter to follow the course his bullets are taking and to correct his aim accordingly. They do no more harm to a pilot if he is hit than an ordinary bullet, but if they hit the petrol tank, good night! When a machine catches fire in flight there is no way of putting it out. It takes less than a minute for the fabric to burn off the wings and then the machine drops like an arrow leaving a trail of smoke like a comet.

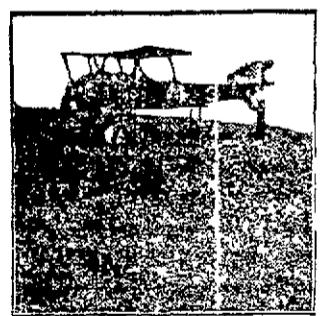
As their tracer bullets came closer and closer to me I realized that my chances of escape were nil! Their next shot, I felt, must hit me.

Once, some days before, when I was flying over the line, I had watched a fight above me. A German machine was set on fire and dived down through our formation in flames on its way to the ground. The Hun was diving at such a sharp angle that both his wings came off, and as he passed within a few hundred feet of me I saw the look of horror on his face.

Now, when I expected any moment to suffer a similar fate I could not help thinking of that poor Hun's last look of agony.

I realized that my only chance lay in making an Immelman turn. This maneuver was invented by a German—one of the greatest who ever flew and who was killed in action some time before. This turn, which I made successfully, brought one of their machines right in front of me, and as he sailed along barely ten yards away, I had the "drop" on him and he knew it.

His white face and studded eyes I can still see. He knew beyond question that his last moment had come because his position prevented his taking aim at me while my gun pointed straight at him. My first tracer bullet passed within a yard of his head, the bullet.



Lieutenant O'Brien Was Driving When He Was Overcome and Captured by the Huns.

A German doctor removed the bullet

second looked as if it hit his shoulder, the third struck him in the neck and then I let him have the whole works and he went down in a spinning nose dive.

All this time the three other Hun machines were shooting away at me. I could hear the bullets striking my machine one after another. I hadn't the slightest idea that I could ever beat off those three Hunns but there was nothing for me to do but fight, and my hands were full.

In fighting your machine is dropping all the time. I glanced at my instruments and my altitude was between 8,000 and 9,000 feet. While I was still looking at the instruments the whole machine disappeared. A burst of bullets went into the instrument board and blew it to smithereens. Another bullet went through my upper lip came out of the roof of my mouth and lodged in my throat and the next thing I knew was when I came to in a German hospital the following morning at five o'clock German time.

I was a prisoner of war.

#### CHAPTER IV

##### Clipped Wings

The hospital in which I found myself on the morning after my capture was a private house made of brick very low and dirty and not at all adapted for use as a hospital. It had evidently been used but a few days on account of the big push that was taking place at that time of the year and in all probability would be abandoned as soon as they had found a better place.

In all, the house contained four rooms and a stable which was by far



Pat O'Brien and Paul Haney

the largest of all. Although I never looked into this wing of the hospital I was told that it, too, was filled with patients lying on beds of straw around on the ground. I do not know whether they too were officers or privates.

The room in which I found myself contained eight beds, three of which were occupied by wounded German officers. The other rooms I imagined had about the same number of beds as mine. There were no Red Cross nurses in attendance, just orderlies for this was only an emergency hospital and not bear the firing line for nurses. The orderlies were not old men nor very young boys as I had expected to find but young men in the prime of life who evidently had been medical students. One or two of them I discovered were able to talk English but for some reason they would not talk. Perhaps they were forbidden by the officer in charge to do so.

In addition to the bullet wound in my mouth I had a swelling from my forehead to the back of my head at most as big as my shoe—and that is saying considerable. I couldn't move an inch without suffering intense pain and when the doctor told me that I had no bones broken I wondered how a fellow would feel who had

German officers visited me that morning and told me that my machine went down in a spinning nose dive from a height of between 8,000 and 9,000 feet and they had the surprise of their lives when they discovered that I had not been dashed to pieces. They had to cut me out of my machine which was riddled with shots and shattered to bits.

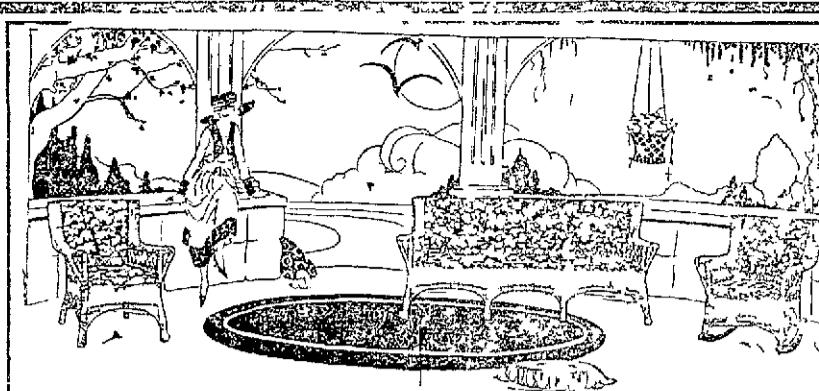
A German doctor removed the bullet

from my throat, and the first thing he said to me when I came to was "You are an American!"

There was no debating it because the metal identification disk on my wrist bore the inscription

P O B  
U S A  
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Although I was suffering intense pain the doctor who spoke perfect English insisted upon conversing with me in English.



## Every Evening a Vacation

On the Porch of Your Own Home For the Entire Family—that's exactly what a well furnished porch means. Let us fix up your porch. It will cost very little to have us do it in elegant style and you may pay on very easy terms arranged to suit your convenience.

See our Porch Sets consisting of Sets of Rockers and Chairs. Starting in price as low as \$8.75 up to magnificent Cretonne Upholstered Fibre Sets similar to the picture as low as \$15.00.

Included in our big display of Porch Furniture you'll find Rockers as low as \$1.95 Swings as low as \$1.95 Chairs Tables Stands Lamps, Shades—in fact, everything you need at amazing low prices.

## Saturday's Big Bargain Offer

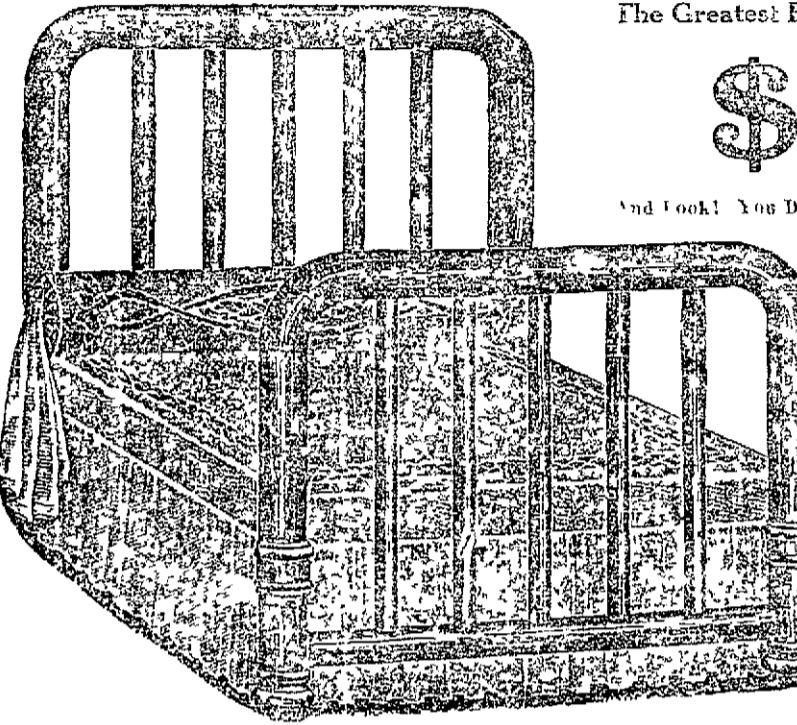
### It's the Real Thing

The most popular design ever placed on the market (not an imitation cheaply gotten up for competition purposes) We guarantee without fear of contradiction—**IT'S THE GREATEST VALUE IN AMERICA**

The massive continuous posts measure two inches in diameter giving it great strength as well as striking beauty. The vertical fillers are no mere rods but heavy steel tubes measuring 7/8 inch in diameter. It has heavy angle iron bed and foot rail, doing greatly to its stability. The beauty is enhanced by the smoothness of its joints—no rough cast or rough.

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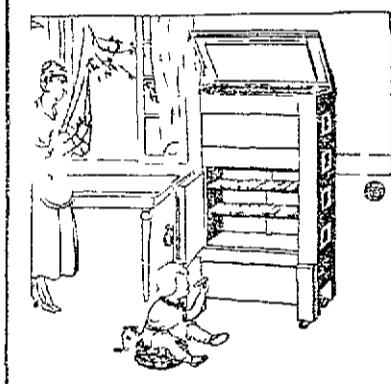
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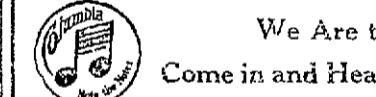
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from my throat, and the first thing he said to me when I came to was "You are an American!"

There was no debating it because the metal identification disk on my wrist bore the inscription

P O B  
U S A  
R T G

Although I was suffering intense pain the doctor who spoke perfect English insisted upon conversing with me in English.

You may be all right as a sportsman but you are not a

man he declared but you are a

man he said for just the same reason

that I am. You Americans who got into this thing, before America came into the war are no better than German murderers and you ought to be treated the same way.

The sound in my mouth made it impossible for me to answer him and I

was suffering too much pain to be

able to speak.

He declared as a parting shot, "I

will be with you in a few days.

When he got no answer out of me he will be with you in a few days.

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strong in me I wondered what had happened to me when I came to.

It had been so long since I had been in the hospital that I had forgotten so dreadfully about my condition.

It had been so long since I had been in the hospital that I had forgotten so dreadfully about my condition.

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## DECORATION DAY

In Honor of the Men of That Day and of This Day  
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## Baseball in Brief

## TALLEST PITCHER SIGNED

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**  
Yesterday's Results.  
Boston 6; Pittsburgh 2.  
Cincinnati-Chicago, rain.  
No other games scheduled.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	22	10	.607
Chicago	22	11	.607
Cincinnati	20	17	.541
Pittsburgh	15	16	.484
Boston	15	19	.441
Philadelphia	14	18	.437
St. Louis	12	21	.364
Brooklyn	12	21	.364

COBB MAY ENLIST AT  
END OF 1918 SEASON

Today's Schedule.  
St. Louis at Pittsburgh.  
New York at Philadelphia.  
Boston at Brooklyn.  
Cincinnati at Chicago.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE.

**Yesterday's Results.**  
Cleveland 3; New York 2.  
Detroit 4; Washington 2.  
Boston 1; Chicago 0.  
St. Louis 3; Philadelphia 2.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	22	13	.629
New York	19	15	.559
St. Louis	17	15	.531
Cleveland	15	17	.528
Chicago	15	15	.500
Philadelphia	14	18	.437
Washington	15	20	.429
Detroit	10	18	.357

Today's Schedule.  
Washington at Boston.  
Philadelphia at New York.

AN EASY WAY TO  
BANISH PIMPLES

If you are troubled with pimples, blackheads, acne, barber's itch, blotches, freckles or other skin disease or blemish, now is the time to get rid of it with Hokura.

This pure and simple skin healer is being introduced in Connellsville by A. A. Clark at the low price of 35¢ for a liberal sized jar, and it has sold hundreds of treatments.

It contains no grease or acids, is cleanly to use and is a true nourishment for the skin, cleaning and clearing it in every pore, making it soft, white and beautiful.

If Hokura does not do even more than is claimed for it and give perfect satisfaction, return the empty jar to the A. A. Clarke Drug Store and he will refund your money. If you have any skin trouble, you cannot spend 35¢ to better advantage than for a jar of this skin food.—Ady.

## WOMEN WANTED

Government Has Need of Many in Several Branches of Work.

The United States Civil Service Commission is calling for women for government work of not less than sixty different kinds. The list includes telegraphers, typists, bookkeepers, other clerks of a score or more of classifications which require training in some special or technical line, statisticians, operators of various kinds of calculating, addressing and duplicating machines; proof-readers, law clerks, welfare executive secretaries, draftsmen of a dozen kinds, telegraph and telephone operators, trained nurses, chemists, physicians, library assistants, inspectors of undergarments, finger-print classifiers, and many others.

The commission urges women to offer their services to the government at this time of great need. Representatives of the civil service commission at the postoffices in all important cities are prepared to furnish definite information and application blanks.

## Indian Creek.

INDIAN CREEK, May 28.—Albert Miller of Indian Head spent a day in Connellsville on business.

Dave Colborn of Pittsburgh spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Colborn at Mill Run.

John Berg of Indian Head is transacting business in Connellsville today.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rose of Rogers Mill were business callers in Connellsville.

The following boys from our valley left this morning for Connellsville to leave for Camp Lee tomorrow: H. L. Hoover, William Marietta, Robert Marietta, Carl Prinkley, Charles Bigam, Hunter Newell, Frank Ebert, Carter and Russell Dual.

The photo shows Arlie Latham, the once famous Giant and favorite of Gotham fans, who is coaching the Lenn team.

## LITTLE DIFFERENCE IN PLAY

Pitchers in Minors Try to Stop Hitting  
While in Majors Batters Must  
Hit Ball.

Ping Bodie, the desperate fence destroyer, has it all figured out. Says he:

"The principal difference between the game of baseball in the big leagues and down in the sticks is as follows: In the minors the pitchers are always trying to keep you from hitting the ball. In the big leagues the hurlers are always making you hit it. That's all there is to it."

ARLIE LATHAM COACHING  
LONDON BASEBALL TEAM

Decoration  
Day

## Indian Creek Valley

## Railway

PASSENGER TRAINS WILL  
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## Some Time

You will be in need of printing of some kind. Whether it be letter heads, statements, wedding invitations or public sale bills, remember we can turn out the work at the lowest cost consistent with good work.

SHADY GROVE  
OPENS  
DECORATION DAY.

Kiferle's Orchestra for the smal-  
ler wedding at 3 P. M.

## Potatoes

U. S. Food Administrator

## Decoration

## Day

## Indian Creek Valley

## Railway

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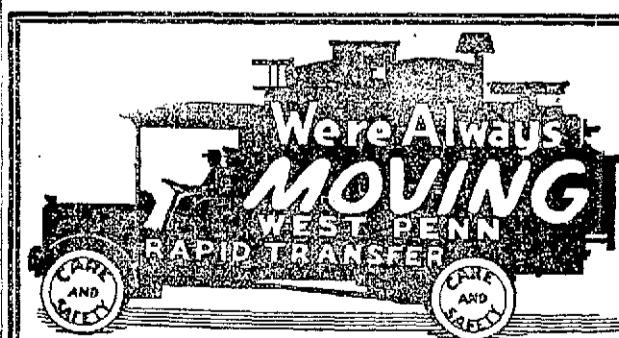
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## SOSON THEATRE

TODAY

"The Kaiser, the Beast  
of Berlin"

No Such Play Has Ever Been Produced in Connellsville.

The most remarkable and wonderful picture. It has wrung round after round of applause from start to finish and has worked audiences into a tremendous pitch of enthusiasm. It must be seen to be appreciated.

THEATRE WHERE THE SHOW IS ALWAYS GOOD  
WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON AT 4 O'CLOCK.

Prices for matinees for that special hour will be 10 cents. This will give the kiddies a chance to see the Kaiser without coming at night or missing school.

There Will Be One Comedy Before Each Performance.

Prices today 35 and 25¢ to give all a chance to see this wonderful play—"The Kaiser, The Beast of Berlin."

IF IT'S AT THE ARCADE IT'S GOOD  
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## ORPHEUM THEATRE

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TOMORROW

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William S. Hart in "THE PATRIOT."

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